

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

In order to easily verify the details including a use state of devices of a network each time function processing is to be executed, a CPU sequentially 5 acquires log information of each function of each device notified from another PC, when each device is to be operated in accordance with the function set by the other PC, and sequentially stores the log information of each acquired function and manages the stored log 10 information. In response to a request for the log information of each function from the other PC, the corresponding log information among the managed log information is notified to the other PC via the network.